

Senate Resolution 1519

By: Senator James of the 35th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Louise Reswayne' DuBois; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Louise Reswayne' DuBois has long been recognized for her contributions to the
3 arts community as one of the most talented musicians this state has to offer; and
- 4 WHEREAS, she began playing the violin in middle school and added the double bass to her
5 repertoire in 2002; and
- 6 WHEREAS, her passion for the double bass was fostered by Dr. Bo Ballew, PhD. of the
7 Greenville Symphony Orchestra, while she was attending the DeKalb School of the Arts; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Ms. DuBois joined the Stillwater Youth Sinfo-Nia of Metropolitan Atlanta
9 under David Robinson and the DeKalb Youth Symphony, a county-wide symphony of the
10 county's best and brightest stars; and
- 11 WHEREAS, after graduation, this talented musician studied for two years at Valdosta State
12 University under Professor Jonathan Stokes before attending Kennesaw State University to
13 continue her education under the tutelage of Douglas Sommer, a 20 year bassist with the
14 Atlanta Symphony Orchestra; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Ms. DuBois continues to ear-train under Dr. Susan Tepping, PhD., enriching
16 her God given talent; and
- 17 WHEREAS, she is a member of the National Collegiate Wind Ensemble and has been a
18 featured State of Georgia elite youth orchestra student and player for two consecutive years,
19 performing at the esteemed Carnegie Hall of New York; and
- 20 WHEREAS, this outstanding Georgian regularly devotes her time, talents, and energy to
21 serving her community; and

22 WHEREAS, Ms. DuBois, in pursuing her dream of becoming a symphonic musician, is an
23 inspiration to peers and all generations; and

24 WHEREAS, in recognition of her contributions to the arts and the State of Georgia, it is
25 abundantly fitting and proper for this body to honor the extraordinary commitment and
26 accomplishments of this outstanding individual.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
28 commend Louise Reswayne' DuBois for her musical talent and achievements and extend to
29 her sincere best wishes for a lifetime of health and happiness.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
31 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Louise Reswayne' DuBois.